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THE TREATMENT OF VASCULITIS

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement in the above-identified application.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, this Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is accompanied by:

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§ 1.97(e)(1) or § 1.97(e)(2);

[X] the fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with the accompanying Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this letter is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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